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S/S-O PASS SENATOR HUMPHREY FROM AMBASSADOR SALZMAN

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SUBJECT: PERSONAL MESSAGE

1. AT THE SUGGESTION OF SECRETARY OF LABOR MARSHALL, I AM DELIGHTED TO FORWARD HERewith A COPY OF THE TOAST MADE TO YOU TODAY AT A LUNCHEON GIVEN BY THE SWEDISH REPRESENTATIVE TO THE OECD AND ATTENDED BY SECRETARY MARSHALL AND THE LABOR MINISTERS OF NORWAY, GERMANY, DENMARK, GREAT BRITAIN AND FINLAND.

2. BEGIN TEXT. DURING THE LAST FOUR YEARS I HAD THE PRIVILEGE TO SERVE AS SWEDISH CONSUL GENERAL IN MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA. IT WAS ONLY A FEW TIMES THAT I MET SENATOR HUBERT HUMPHREY, BUT I HAD AMPLE OPPORTUNITY TO WITNESS WHAT HE MEANT TO MINNESOTA AND THE UNITED STATES. AND SO I WAS SENT TO PARIS, AND THE FIRST BIG CONFERENCE I AM INVOLVED IN, IS ONE THAT HAS BEEN INSPIRED BY THIS GREAT AND WONDERFUL MAN. TO ME THIS HAS APPEARED A VERY SPECIAL COINCIDENCE.

3. WE KNOW WHAT HUBERT HUMPHREY IS GOING THROUGH THESE DAYS, AND WE FEEL WITH HIM AND WITH HIS MURIEL. BUT
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HE HAS LED A FULL LIFE, THE "HAPPY WARRIOR," ONE OF THE REAL "GIANTS OF THE EARTH," AND HIS LIFE'S WORK HAS BENEFITED AND WILL CONTINUE TO BENEFIT MILLIONS OF HUMAN BEINGS FOR MANY, MANY YEARS.

4. I PROPOSE WE STAND AND DRINK A TOAST TO HUBERT HUMPHREY AND TO HIS WORK. END TEXT.

5. ALSO PLEASE ACCEPT MY OWN DEEPLY FELT AND PERSONAL
BEST WISHES AS AN EXPRESSION OF THE GREAT RESPECT AND
AFFECTION IN WHICH I HAVE HELD YOU FOR SO MANY YEARS.
SALZMAN

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